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RIYADH FOR GENERAL HUDACHEK

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT:EXTENSION OF SANG MODERNIZATION PROGRAM

REF: JIDDA 1834

1. DEPARTMENT HAS RECEIVED WORD FROM LOCAL SANG PROGRAM
MANAGER OFFICE THAT SANG OFFICIALS HAVE REQUESTED MEETING
WITH BG HUDACHEK SATURDAY MORNING TO DISCUSS THE EXTEN-
SION OF SANG MODERNIZATION PROGRAM REQUESTED BY PRINCE
ABDULLAH IN HIS LETTER TO THE AMBASSADOR (REFTEL). DEPART-
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MENT SEES NO REASON WHY GENERAL HUDACHEK SHOULD NOT
ATTEND MEETING, SO LONG AS SANG UNDERSTANDS FOLLOWING:

--REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF SANG MODERNIZATION PROGRAM
CONVEYED BY PRINCE ABDULLAH TO AMBASSADOR WEST IS
ACTIVELY UNDER REVIEW UNDER THE REQUIRED PROCEDURES.

--A DECISION ---- ----- WILL BE FORMALLY CON-
VEYED TO PRINCE ABDULLAH BY AMBASSADOR WEST.

--UNTIL THAT TIME WE CANNOT BEGIN DISCUSSIONS WHICH
WOULD CONSTITUTE COMMENCEMENT OF FORMAL DEFINITION PHASE.

--HUDACHEK PLEASED, HOWEVER, TO MEET FOR INFORMAL TALKS

WITH A VIEW TOWARD EXPEDITING THE DEFINITION PHASE
ASSUMING A POSITIVE DECISION IS REACHED AND CONVEYED TO
SAG.

2. DEPARTMENT WOULD LIKE TO THANK GENERAL HUDACHEK FOR
HIS THOUGHTFUL SUGGESTIONS ON HOW BEST TO PROCEED WITH
THE PROGRAM AND FOR HIS BRIEFINGS OF DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS
ON THE CURRENT STATUS OF THE PROGRAM AND EXPECTATIONS IN
THE EXTENSION REQUEST. VANCE

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